Dr. Depew Will Be an Orator and It Will lie a Public Day.

TROY, N. Y., May 14.—The dedication through the Park, after a luncheon at the Netherland, and will be entertained at a banquet in the evening. morial erected by Russell Sage on site of the old Troy Female Semimary, will occur next Thursday, Bishop Potter, of New York, will conduct the caremonies, and speeches are looked for from Dr. Chauncey M. Depew and Dr.

Stryker, of Hamilton College.
"Russoll Sage Ha!!" is said to have cost Mr. Sage \$115,600. The building is of Belleville sandstone and buff pressed orick. No expense has been spared in the interior arrangements and decora-The dining-room furniture is The second floor, devoted entirely to formitories, is finished in mahogany, and even the attic, where the servants' quarters are located, is fitted up in carried on

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The building has three entrances. The main one is on the morth side, facing the park. Over the door is a carved lintel, bearing the inscription of "Russell Sage Hall."

The Troy Female Seminary was founded by Mrs. Emma Hart Willard, who died in 1870 at the age of eighty-three. A bronze statue of Mrs. Willard, the money for which was subscribed by citizens of Troy, will be unveiled on dedication day of Russell Sage Hall.

Sage Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Sage will attend
the ceremonies, and at their conclusion
a public reception will be tendered to
them by Troy citizens.

HOTEL MEN ARE HERE.

They Come from All Over and Will Have a Happy Time.

The sixteenth annual Convention of She Puts Her Foot Down on Amahe Hotel Men's Mutual Benefit Assoteur Living Pictures. ciation, four hundred delegates to which are here from all parts of the country pened this morning at Delmonico's. The programme for the day comprises uncheon at the Waldorf and a visit The Kindergarten Show Will Go on

but with Tableaux Vivanta. to Palmer's Theatre in the evening, to see "Little Christopher." To-morrow the guests will be driven through the Park, after a luncheon at

Miss Helen Gould is angry with the Entertainment Committee of the Kindergarten and Potted Plant Associa





MRS. WILLARD'S BIRTHPLACE, BERLIN, CONN.

a School Inspector.

Commissioner Maclay, of the Board of Education, has recommended to Mayor Strong the appointment of Mrs. Schuy Van Rensselaer as School Inspector containing 60 cents. Holcomb. It is believed the Mayor I name Mrs. Van Rensselaer within

few days.

Mrs. Van Renaselaer lives at 9 West
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INCTHER WOMAN SELECTED.

Robert Maclay Bull, Mrs. Gordon Wendell and Mrs. Eugenia R. Brown, met at the Board of Education rooms yester to Be a School Inspector.

A School Inspector.

Policeman Alfred Crook, of the Sanitary Squad



tion, and has indited a caustic note in that pretty round-hand that looks so sweet when written in the proper place the face. She then ran away and disappeared. on a bank check. She addressed this Sutton of the Entertainment Committee, and, in consequence, the Enter-tainment Committee is hustling to undo most of its work in advertising the benefit performance to be given

HELEN GOULD NOT PLEASED.

the benefit performance to be given Thursday afternoon at the Fifth Avenue Theatre.

Miss Gould is the Vice-President of the Kindergarten Association, and her brother's wife, Mrs. Edith Kingdon Gould, is its President. Mrs. Gould is in Europe. Miss Helen Gould, as next in rank, protests vigorously against the "vaudeville style" of announcements that the Entertainment Committee has been giving to the newspapers.

These announcements have assured the public that society young ladies, buds and blossoms, would appear as "living pictures" for charity, and that there would be a "variety entertainment" as a preduce to the "living pictures." Miss Helen Gould don't like it, and has compelled the Committee to amend its advertisements so as to read "tableaux vivants," instead of "living pictures."

Among the startling announcements was one that "Mr. Washington, a liveal descendant of the Immortal George," would appear in a living picture. He was to pose as Pierrot, with Miss Goin as a Fierrette, but this horrid blunder of the Press Committee has so incensed Mr. Washington that he has withdrawn from the affair altogether. Elliott F. Shepard also has a grievance. The sanguages.

he has withdrawn from the anair settle.

Mrs. Elliott F. Shepard also has a grievance. The announcement has been made that "Miss" Louise M. Shepard, daughter of the late Col. Elliott F. Shepard, would pose as "A Gainsborough Portrait." The Miss Shepard who will appear is not the daughter of the Vanderbilt-Shepards at all, but comes from the West for the occasion, and is not related in any way to Mrs. Elliott F. Shepard. pard. Gould's energetic protest was

Miss Gould's energetic protest was entered to the "professional aspect" of the affair, and she makes stringent objections to the vaudeville style of the announcements. In consequence, the "twenty-three living pictures" have been reduced in the plan to "sixteen tableaux," and the names of Lillian Russell. Vesta Tilley, Clssy Fitzgerald, Camille D'Arville, and other professionals, who were expected to lend their attractive presence to the benefit, have been withdrawn.

But before the plans were righted Mrs. Schuyler Hamilton, who was "billed" to pose as the portrait of Ruben's daughter, wrote a letter asking to be txcussed on account of ill-health, and Mrs. Gianni Bettini resigned her assignment to pose as "A Modern Belle."

The best that money can buy. Baking

Storm

te posing as living pictures with professionals. Mrs. Hamilton says on the subject:

I thought the tickets would be sold only te patronesses, and that the benefit would be of a private mature, like the Triby tableaux at Sherty's, but when I saw that I was to floure in a living picture, and be associated with Cleay Fingerald, Lillian Russell and several other professionals, and that takets were to be sold at the box-sidine to wheever chose to buy like a regular public performance, of course, I resigned.

It was also announced that Miss Winnie Davis, daughter of Jefferson Davis, would appear as a picture, but Miss Davis promised her father shortly before his death that she would never appear in a public entertainment, and she, too has declined.

But, with the straightening out of the mistakes of the too enterprising "committee," the entertainment will go on just the same, and Richard Mansfield will have the distinction of being the enly "professional" in it, although Herr Kilanyi will arrange the tableaux. Mr. Mansfield will deliver a little speech. There will be a dress rehearsal for the tableaux at the Fifth Avenue Theatre at 9 o'clock Thursday morning.

Mrs. Edwin Gould, Miss Julia Grant, Miss Falconer, Miss Pryor and others have not yet been assigned to pictures, but may be later on.

Drunken Woman Runs Amuck. A young and pretty woman ran amuch in West One Hundred and Twenty-fifta street, yesterday afternson. After drinking a bottle of cham-pagne at the West End Cafe, she refused to pay. nd beat the waiter. She was thrown out by the accordants, and started westward up One Hundre hat came within her reach, and hit a colored nurse over the head. She had stood on the cable

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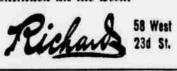
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